

REMARKS

Claims 1 and 2 have been rewritten to overcome the objection to claims 1-3 and 6-8 and the rejection of claims 1-3 and 6-8 under 35 U.S.C. §112, second paragraph.

Claims 1-3 and 6-8 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. §102(b) as being anticipated by Kurauchi et al., JP 10-133191A.

Applicant respectfully disagrees with this rejection. First, one of the elements said to form a green filter in Karauchi et al., coloring layer, 6b, (see paragraph [0023]), is nowhere present in what the Examiner deems to be the elements corresponding to the color filters of three colors, namely, elements 6a, 8c, and 7b, (Office Action, page 4, line 2). Second, the Examiner indicates that Karauchi et al. discloses in Figs. 2-5, the color filters of the three colors previously referred to with a bored part provided at every pixel on the transparent substrate, (Office Action, page 2, lines 2-3). Karauchi et al., however, nowhere discloses, teaches or suggests that the color filters have a bored part provided at every pixel on the transparent substrate.

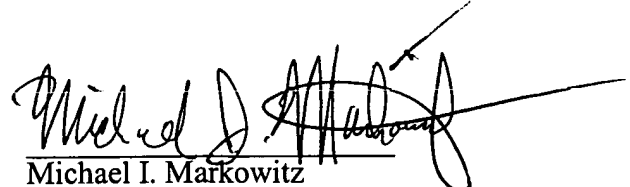
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An earnest effort has been made to be fully responsive to the Examiner's objections. In view of the above amendments and remarks, it is believed that independent claim 1 is in condition for allowance, as well as those claims dependent therefrom. Passage of this case to allowance is earnestly solicited.

However, if for any reason the Examiner should consider this application not to be in condition for allowance, he is respectfully requested to telephone the undersigned attorney at the number listed below prior to issuing a further Action.

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